



A C WHARTON, JR.
MAYOR

TENNESSEE

November 15, 2011

The Honorable Harold Collins, Chairman
Personnel, Intergovernmental & Annexation Committee
City Hall - Room 514
Memphis, TN 38103

Dear Chairman Collins:

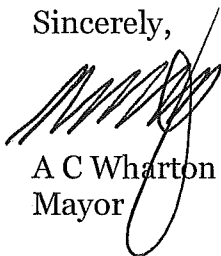
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Qur'an N. Folsom

be appointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



A C Wharton
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION
FILM COMMISSION
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: QUR'AN N. FOLSOM Race AF. AM. ☐ M ☒ F

E-Mail Address: quranfolsom@yahoo.com Fax _____

Profession/Employer: Memphis City Schools Board of Commissioners' Office

2597 Avery Avenue Rm 218
Business Address: _____ Zip 38112 Phone: 901-416-0288

Education: Bachelors of Arts Degree from University of TN at Knoxville 1996-2000

Name of Spouse: Charlie C. Folsom, Jr. Number of Children: 2

Home Address: 2665 TWISTED OAK COVE SOUTH Phone: 901-292-0572

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38016

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 7 years

Professional Organization/Associations:

Member of the Phi Delta Kappa International 2010-Present, Member of Tennessee Association of School Business Officials (TASBO) 2010-present, Member of Tennessee Association of Board Secretaries 2009-Present,

Other Organizations/Association:

STAND for Children Strategy Team Member 2010-present, Treasurer Department Assistant for Longview Heights SDA Church 2009-present, Memphis Urban League Young Professionals Member 2008-Present, Media Director for Longview Heights SDA Church 2006-2007, Advisor for the Longview Heights CDC 2004-2006, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 2000-present

Other Interests:

Spending time with family and friends; Assisting sons as Soccer players and violinists; special hobbies: gardening, cooking vegetarian and vegan cuisine, and assisting where I can with children in my neighborhood and church community.

Signature Qur'an N. Folsom Date 10/31/11

Qur'an N. Folsom

Objective	To use diverse skills and educational background within an organization that offers opportunities for growth and advancement.	
Experience	2/09-present	<i>Memphis City Schools Board of Education: Office of the Commissioners</i> Senior Executive Assistant to the Board of Commissioners <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Serve as the authoritative spokesperson for the Board in discussing and answering complaints, concerns and criticisms of the district▪ Represent Board members in meetings with administrators, government representatives, agency officials, parents, students and the public.▪ Speak at public meetings regarding issues of general or specific pertinence to the district▪ Conduct extensive studies in the following areas: organization, staffing, communications, work distribution/flow, program evaluation, systems and procedures, surveys and general administrative matters▪ Evaluate alternative administrative systems required to conduct district programs and supply support services▪ Consult with Senior Administrators and other district staff members regarding items of interest or concern to a Board member▪ Provide information to district personnel, community groups, educational agencies and the public pertaining to district policies and procedures▪ Assist with the coordination of all matters pertaining to the Office of the Board of Commissioners
	8/03-1/09	<i>United States Senate- Lamar Alexander</i> Assistant Field Representative and Constituent Services (promoted 8/06) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Organized and attended all events, meetings and speaking engagements for the Senator's visits to Fayette, Shelby and Tipton counties▪ Handled local policy issues and served as one of the principle liaisons between the Senate office and local businesses, organizations, government agencies and constituents▪ Interviewed all local candidates requesting congressional nominations for Military Service Academies▪ Served as the Senator's official spokesman in conjunction with all stated responsibilities in Fayette, Shelby, and Tipton Counties▪ Responsible for outreach efforts and events Constituent Services Representative <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Served as the Senator's trouble shooter between constituents and Federal government agencies▪ Responsible for developing and maintaining constituent relations through effective problem resolution and informative public speaking engagements▪ Monitored cases with Federal departments or agencies for problems legislation would resolve▪ Managed local internship program as well as volunteers at the Senator's Memphis office
	3/03-8/03	<i>State of Tennessee</i> Eligibility Counselor I <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Determined client's eligibility for Food Stamps, AFDC, and Medicaid programs funded by State and Federal governments.▪ Conducted one-on-one in depth interviews to review client's circumstances to continue receiving benefits▪ Oversaw typical caseload of 400+ which grew on a continual basis due to new applicants and transferred cases▪ Compiled intricate reports to manage caseload and provided detailed analysis of monthly assignments

Education**8/96-5/00***University of Tennessee*

Knoxville, TN

- Bachelor of Arts, Double Major: Sociology and Legal Studies
- Marietta Housing Authority Scholarship 1996-2000; Tennessee Higher Education Commission Scholarship 1998-2000

Computer Skills

Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook, Publisher, Access; QuickBooks, TurboTax, Webster, Capitol Correspondent, Adobe Acrobat

**Activities &
Awards**

Member of Tennessee Association of School Business Officials (TASBO) 2010, Member of Tennessee Association of Board Secretaries 2009-Present, Treasurer Department Assistant for Longview Heights SDA Church 2009-present, Media Director for Longview Heights SDA Church 2006-2007, Advisor for the Longview Heights CDC 2004-2006, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 2000-present; UT College of Arts and Sciences Chair for the Student Government Association (Undergraduate Academic Council) 1999-2000; State Farm Grade "A" Award 1999; Founding Member and President of UT's Black Student Alliance 1998-2000

References

References are available upon request.

**MEMPHIS & SHELBY COUNTY FILM, TELEVISION
COMMISSION**

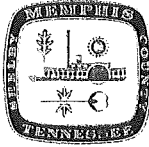
(22) Member Board

(11) City & (11) County

3 Year Term

Butler, Tonya (City)	F/B	09-30-10	3yr. Term
Carson, Gale (City)	F/B	09-30-10	3yr. Term
Griffith, Ike (City)	M/B	09-30-10	3yr. Term
Miller, Calvin (City)	M/B	09-30-10	3yr. Term
Murrmann-Price, Susan (City)	F/W	09-30-10	3yr. Term
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Dear Chairman Collins:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Sherman Greer

be appointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A C Wharton", is written over a printed name and title.

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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Memphis/Shelby County Film and Television
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: SHERMAN GREER Race B M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: shermangreer@hotmail.com Fax

Profession/Employer: Southwest Tennessee Community College

Business Address: 5983 Macon Cove Zip 38134 Phone: 901-333-4101

Education: BA - Political Science, University of Tennessee; Currently pursuing MA, UofM

Name of Spouse: Sandra Greer Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 6214 Ashton Road Phone: 901-212-4488

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38134

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long?

Professional Organization/Associations:

Association for the Future of Film and Television in Tennessee (AFFT) - Treasurer

Other Organizations/Association:

Member of Memphis Alcohol Commission, West Tennessee branch of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF), Frayser CDC, United Housing, and the Memphis Urban League.

Other Interests:

Mentoring young college students (especially males) to keep them on track and focused on what their ultimate goals should be.

Signature

Date

10/14/11

BIOGRAPHY

SHERMAN GREER

Executive Assistant to the President

Director of Government Relations

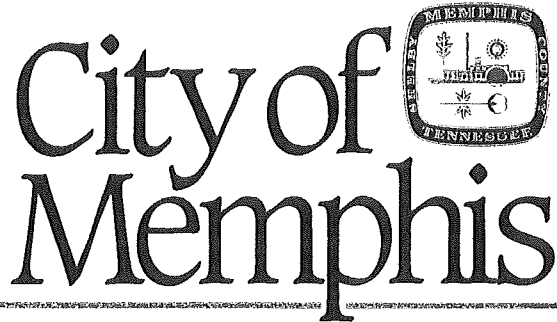
SOUTHWEST TENNESSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Sherman Greer currently serves as the Executive Assistant to the President and the Director of Government Relations for Southwest Tennessee Community College. His responsibilities include representing the college and acting as a liaison between the college and legislators at the federal, state, and local level.

Prior to joining the college, he served as District Director for the office of US Congressman Steve Cohen. In that position, he was responsible for serving as the liaison to the district and oversaw the district staff. Prior to working for Mr. Cohen, he served as a long time senior aid to former Congressman Harold Ford, Jr. While working for Congressman Ford, he managed the district staff and was responsible for researching and responding to constituents on behalf of the Member of Congress.

Greer, a Memphis native, received his bachelor's degree in Political Science and Communications from the University of Tennessee at Martin.

He currently serves as a Commissioner for the Memphis Alcohol Commission, and also serves on the boards of the West Tennessee branch of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF), United Housing, Treasurer – Association for Film and Television, and the Frayser CDC.



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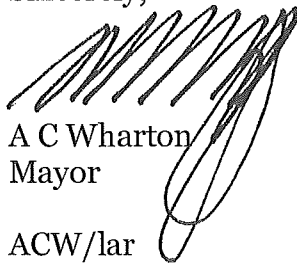
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Gale Jones Carson

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Memphis & Shelby County Film and Television
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Gale Jones Carson Race African-American ☐ M ☒ F

E-Mail Address: galecarson@me.com Fax: 901-528-4691

Profession/Employer: Memphis Light, Gas & Water

Business Address: 220 South Main Street Zip: 38103 Phone: 901-461-6008

Education: Bachelor's Degree in Broadcast Journalism

Name of Spouse: NA Number of Children: 1

Home Address: 3170 N. Trezevant Phone: 901-358-0060

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38127

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Professional Organization/Associations:

Public Relations Society of America, Memphis & Shelby County Film & Tape Commission
Tennessee Arts Commission

Other Organizations/Association:

River City Chapter, Links Incorporated
Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church

Other Interests:

Raising funds for charitable organizations in need.

Gale Jones Carson October 5, 2011

Signature

Date

October 5, 2011

Gale Jones Carson



Gale Jones Carson, Director of Corporate Communications, answers directly to MLGW President and CEO and is responsible for managing and coordinating all aspects of employee and public communication programs, media and community relations, Web site management, graphic arts, printing, mail services and distribution operations.

Carson rejoined MLGW in January 2007, after working as Executive Assistant and Chief Spokesperson for the City of Memphis Mayor for almost seven years. Prior to working for the Mayor, she worked 16 years in Corporate Communications at FedEx. Carson worked in public relations for more than six years for MLGW prior to joining FedEx.

A veteran in public relations, Ms. Carson has more than three decades of journalism/public relations experience. Some of her experience includes working in the Public Relations Department for Memphis Light, Gas and Water and Federal Express's Corporate Communications Division and freelance writing for a couple of local weekly publications. Ms. Carson also has served as the producer and host of the local cablevision program, *Memphis Style Politics*, for about 10 years.

Appointed by Gov. Phil Bredesen, Ms. Carson is a Commissioner on the Tennessee Arts Commission. Currently she serves on the Memphis & Shelby County Film & Tape Commission. She has served on the boards of several organizations such as the National Civil Rights Museum, the Rock 'n' Soul Museum, the Memphis Convention & Visitors Bureau, Memphis In May, the Memphis & Shelby County Music Commission, the Rise Foundation, the Pyramid, Case Management Inc., Alliance for Nonprofit Excellence Board and the St. Jude Multicultural Advisory Committee.

A native of Memphis, Ms. Carson is a graduate of the Leadership Memphis Class of 1998 and the University of Memphis where she earned a Bachelor's Degree in Broadcast Journalism. Ms. Carson was blessed with two sons and now has two granddaughters.

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Miller, Calvin (City)	M/B	09-30-10	3yr. Term
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Nelson, Ken (City)	M/W	09-30-10	3yr. Term
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Attendance Records

Memphis & Shelby County Film Commission

Board/Commission

From 6/16/10 to 8/17/11 Total No. of Meetings 5.

Member	Present	Absent
Gale Carson	3	2
Calvin Miller	5	0
Susan Murrmann	3	2
Ken Nelson	2	3
Herbert O'Mell	3	2
James Tashie	4	1
Pat Kerr Tigrett	1	4
Blanchard Tual	3	2
Ruby Wilson	3	2



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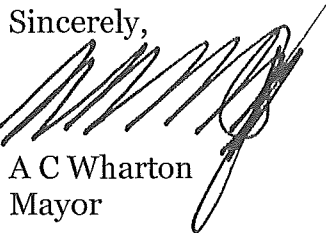
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Calvin Miller

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



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ATTN Ms. Lois Kesslering Mayor's office 1 of 2 pgs.



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION
M/SC Film and Television Commission
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: CALVIN MILLER Race: BLACK M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: cmillervideo@netscape.net Fax: 901-398-4330

Profession/Employer: Video Producer / Editor (Self Employed)

Business Address: 3562 Hermitage Drive Zip: 38116 Phone: 901-428-2948

Education: BPS / Studio Production & Recording Engineering 1979

Name of Spouse: Divorced Number of Children: Four

Home Address: 3562 Hermitage Drive Phone: 901-398-4330

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38116

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 54 years

Professional Organization/Associations:

Memphis Advertising Federation, Past-President & Board Member

Memphis/Shelby County Film Commission, Chairman Emeritus Board Member

Other Organizations/Association:

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, MBA Association, TFDA Association

Other Interests:

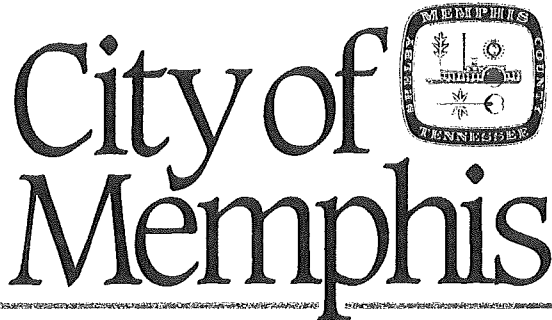
Film Festivals, Media Consulting, Politics, Traveling, Bowling, & Golf

Signature

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Date

10/9/2011



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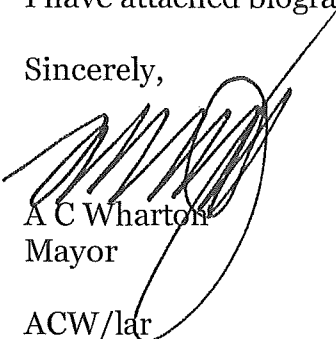
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Susan G. Murrmann

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
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Sincerely,



A C Wharton
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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Film
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Susan Murrmann Race: Poleh German! American ☐ F ☒

E-Mail Address: smurrmann@msn.com Fax: 901 260 5607

Profession/Employer: McDonald Murrmann Women's Clinic
& Center for Skin & Laser

Business Address: 7205 Wolf River Blvd. Zip: 38138 Phone: 901 752 4500

Education: see Bio

Name of Spouse: N/A Number of Children: 0

Home Address: 6018 River Oaks Rd Phone: 901 233 2420

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38120

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? 24 years

Professional Organization/Associations:

see Bio

Other Organizations/Association:

see Bio

Other Interests:

see Bio

Signature

Date

8/10/13/11

Dr. Susan G. Murrmann is one of the co-founders of the McDonald Murrmann Women's Clinic, PLC, Medical Director of the McDonald Murrmann for Skin, Laser, and Healthy Aging, and formerly co-host of the ***Memphis Morning View*** on 98.9 KIM FM. She is a sought-after lecturer and television commentator on a variety of women's health topics including healthy lifestyle choices, heart disease, minimally invasive surgery in women, and surgical site infection prevention. Starting in May 2001 to 2011 Dr. Murrmann has been selected by her peers for inclusion in the ***Best Doctors in America***.

An ardent believer in raising awareness about women's health issues, she served on the Board of Directors of the American Heart Association and is immediate past President of the AHA Board in 2005. She is the past Chairman of the board of the Methodist Healthcare Foundation and has served on the committee for the Methodist Healthcare Cancer Center Luncheon that has welcomed guests such as Queen Noor, First Lady Barbara Bush, and Tom Brokaw. Dr. Murrmann was also named the ***first female*** "Healthcare Hero" by the Memphis Business Journal in 2005 for her work with the community and several charities. She served on the board of the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition, earned status as a Certified Menopause Clinician by the North American Menopause Society, and is a graduate of the 2005 class of Leadership Memphis. Dr. Murrmann was also named as one of the "Top Fifty Influential Women in Memphis" and she and Dr. McDonald were named two years in a row as "Top 10 Female Business Owners" by the *Memphis Woman* magazine. Dr. Murrmann served as a co-chair for the Humane Society 75th Anniversary campaign "***Dog Daze of Memphis***" that promotes the Humane Society, Memphis, and art. In the past she has chaired many events and galas for charity including The American Heart Walk, The Heart Walk, and was the founder of "The Zodiac Ball" for the American Cancer Society which will now go into its 8th year.

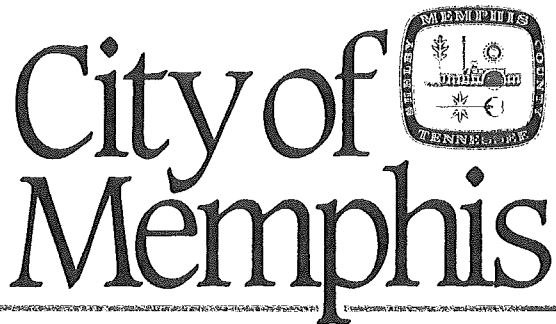
She completed her undergraduate studies and graduated with honors at Bradley University in Peoria, Illinois, she studied at the Chicago Medical School and University of the Health Sciences graduating with multiple honors, served two years of her residency at the University of Illinois, and and two years of residency at the University of Tennessee in Obstetrics and Gynecology. Her society memberships include the Memphis Shelby County Medical Society, Tennessee Medical Association, and North American Menopause Society, the American Association of Gynecological Laparoscopic, the Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons, the Society of Cosmeticogynecology, and the American Association of Cosmetic Surgeons. Dr. Murrmann is an expert in the area of Minimally Invasive

Surgery and Surgical Site Infections and has been involved with many clinical studies and lectures in those areas. She currently serves on the faculty of University of Tennessee for the Minimally Invasive Surgery Fellowship and as Secretary of the Memphis Robotic Surgery Society. Dr. Murrmann also consults for Ethicon Endosurgery and Ethicon Endosuture where she lectures locally and in the across the country in minimally invasive surgery, wound closure, and surgical site infection. Dr. Murrmann was recently appointed to the advisory board of the national organization the "American Institute of Minimally Invasive Surgery". Starting in October she will host a segment on FOX 13 after 9 show for women and health.

Dr. Murrmann also believes that women who "take better care of themselves on the outside ultimately take better care of themselves on the inside" so her expertise includes all aspects of women's health, including the minimally invasive cosmetic procedures, healthy lifestyle choices, and alternative health recommendations.

Although a transplant to Memphis from Chicago, Illinois, Memphis is her new home where she has been involved in many local organizations that promote health, Memphis, the arts, and tourism. She is currently a member of the National Association of the Recording Artists and is a supporter of Musicares, and organization that provides medical care to musicians without healthcare insurance. Dr. Murrmann is also on the executive committee of the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission, the board of the Indie Memphis Film Festival, and the Beale Street Blue Note committee that awards "Brass Notes" on Beale Street to deserving local musical artists.

Medicine is art, music and film are art, art is a passion.



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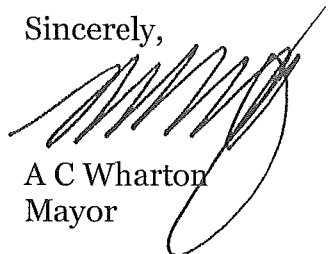
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Ken Nelson

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
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I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

The Memphis & Shelby County Film and Television Commission BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Ken Nelson _____ Birthdate: 1/14/53

Business Address: The Peabody Hotel 149 Union Ave 38103 Phone: 901-529-4180

Business/Profession: Assistant Director, Catering and Conference Management

Education: BFA Memphis College of Art

Name of Spouse: Single Number of Children: none

Home Address: 2029 Union Avenue Phone: 901-726-5112

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38104

Resident of Shelby County: 30 years

Professional Organization/Associations: Am Heart Assn Volunteer/Memphis Heart Gala, Friends for Life Volunteer

Other Organizations/Associations: _____

Other Interest: Movies and Television of course, Art and Art History, Gardening, Event Design/Special Events

Ken Nelson
2029 Vinton Avenue
Memphis, TN 38104

After growing up in Virginia and Atlanta, 30 years ago I moved to Memphis to complete my art degree at The Memphis Art Academy, now Memphis College of Art. 10 months later, in August of 1982 I went to work for The Peabody Hotel as a waiter in order to assist me with school expenses and never left (The Peabody or Memphis).

I graduated with a BFA in Art History and Painting in 1986 from MCA, but along those four years I began to move into various positions at The Peabody and to consider myself a true Memphian. I moved from the position of Waiter, to Supervisor, then to Assistant Manager of Dux Restaurant, and then Manager of the restaurant.

In 1988 I moved from Restaurant Manager to our Catering Department where I would be able to use my art background creating events at "The South's Grand Hotel". In 1998 I was promoted to Assistant Director and retain that position today.

My community involvement has included volunteer work for American Heart Assn, Co-President of The Heart Gala Board, Dinner Chair and Decor Chair of The Heart Gala, volunteer work with The American Cancer Society, Decor Chair of The American Cancer Black Tie Ball, a graduate of The Leadership Academy, volunteer with The Alzheimer's Association as well as an annual participant in their Memory Walk. Also, I have been a volunteer with Friends for Life/Feast for Friends as well as a sponsor of their Monday Dinner program.

Over the past years with The Film and Television Commission I have hosted receptions for a holiday event, a wrap party for 21 grams, the German TV Commission, as well as worked closely with the cast and crew of the TV series "Police Women of Memphis". Additionally I have served as a liaison for the commission in meeting and greeting interested parties, actors, directors, writers, etc. considering our City and County for film projects.

In my "free" time I enjoy spending time with friends and family, traveling, gardening, painting, cooking, sports (go Tigers) and of course movies and television.

It has been an honor to have served on The Commission Board, and request that I continue to be a member of The Board in The City and County that I love and have come to call home.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,

Ken Nelson



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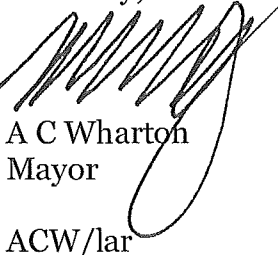
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Herbert S. O'Mell

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Film

BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: Herbert S. O'mell Race W M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: Herb44@AOL.com Fax _____

Profession/Employer: Herb O'mell Productions

Business Address: 4124 Poplar Ave Zip 38117 Phone: 901-7615545

Education: B.S. University Memphis 1-12 Memphis Public School

Name of Spouse: LAURA Number of Children: 2

Home Address: 4124 Poplar Ave Memphis Phone: 901-7615545

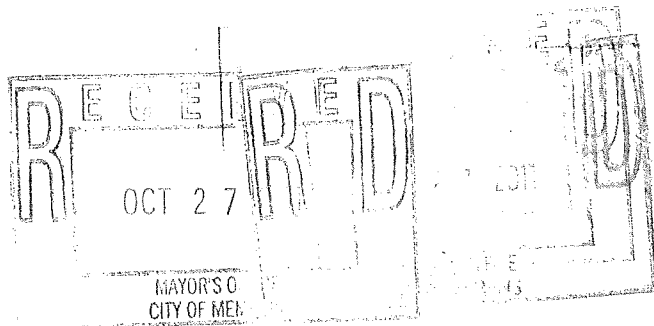
City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38117

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Professional Organization/Associations:
NARAS

Other Organizations/Association:

Other Interests:



Signature Herb S O'mell Date Oct 21, 2011

Herbert S. O'Mell

Summary of qualifications includes diverse, long term career proficiencies that have been garnered in Marketing and Management. Focused and honed skills have been developed in all aspects of Hiring and Training, Budget Development and Administration, Personnel Management and Supervision. Excellent Leadership and Public Relation Skills.

President and COO of Herb O'Mell Productions, Memphis, TN since 1999. Prior marketing experience, spanning the past three decades, includes positions as Senior Marketing Executive, Executive Director of Casino Marketing & Customer Development, Player Development & Special Promotions for Horseshoe Casino Tunica, MS, Harrah's Mardi Gras Casino, Tunica, MS, Cerromar Hotel & Casino, San Juan, Puerto Rico, Loew's Corporation Monte Carlo Casino, Resorts International Casino, Atlantic City, NJ, and Tropicana Hotel, Las Vegas, NV.

Civic Involvement:

- **Memphis Rotary Club member**
 - **Former six year Board Chairman Memphis and Shelby County Film, Tape and Music Commission**
 - **Board Member Advisory Council Film, Tape and Music Commission**
 - **State of Tennessee, Office of the Governor, Board of Advisors**
 - **Music Department University Of Memphis.**
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City of Memphis



A C WHARTON, JR.
MAYOR

TENNESSEE

November 15, 2011

The Honorable Harold Collins, Chairman
Personnel, Intergovernmental & Annexation Committee
City Hall - Room 514
Memphis, TN 38103

Dear Chairman Collins:

Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

James Tashie

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A C Wharton", is written over the printed name and title.

A C Wharton
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: James Tashie Race W M X F

E-Mail Address: Jtashie@malco.com Fax 901-681-2044

Profession/Employer: Malco Theatres, Executive Vice President

5851 Ridgeway Cntr.Pkwy. Zip 38120 Phone: 901-761-3480
Business Address:

Education: U of M - BS - Anthropology; Masters - Special
Education

Name of Spouse: Nancy Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 120 Cherry Road Phone: 685-6190

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38117

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes X or No If yes, how long? 62 years

Professional Organization/Associations:
Variety Club

Other Organizations/Association: Chairman, Memphis & Shelby County Film & Television Commission; U of M College of Fine Arts, Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneer

Other Interests:

Music, Fishing, Movies, Grandchildren

Signature

Date

10/25/2011

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

JAMES D. TASHIE

AGE: 52

MARRIED: Nancy Lighman Tashie - 30 years

CHILDREN: Three sons: Andrew (27), David (25), Scott (15)

EDUCATION: Attended University of Tennessee, Knoxville;
Undergraduate Bachelor of Science, University of Memphis
Graduate Degree, Masters in Special Education

OCCUPATION: Senior Vice President, Malco Theatres, Inc.
25 Years in the movie industry

Taught Special Education in Memphis City School system for four years.
worked in movie theatres on the weekends; left teaching to pursue full-time theater career.

Member of the Tennessee Film & Music Commission Advisory Council
Member of National Association of Theatre Owners;
Board of Directors, National Kidney Foundation of West Tennessee
Member of the Variety Club Tent 20

LEISURE ACTIVITIES: Enjoy music, movies, kids, dogs and cars. Two golden retrievers, Lucy and Zoe; 1 cat, J R. Best friend, wife Nancy.



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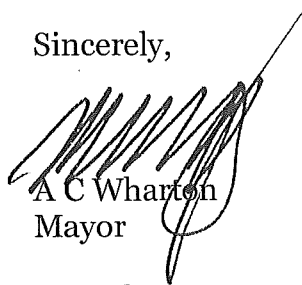
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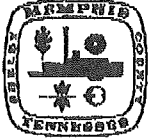
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Sincerely,



A C Wharton
Mayor
ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Film Commission
BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: PAT KERR TIGRETT Race W M ☐ F ☒

E-Mail Address: patkerrinc@patkerr.com Fax 901-526-3578

Profession/Employer: PAT KERR, INC

Business Address: 200 Wagner Pl Zip 38103 Phone: 901-525-5223
Memphis, TN 38

Education: graduate of U of M (BFA)

Name of Spouse: John (deceased) Number of Children: 1

Home Address: 200 Wagner Phone: 901-525-5223

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38103

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If yes, how long? 30+ yrs

Professional Organization/Associations:

See attached

Other Organizations/Association:

See attached

Other Interests:

Painting, philanthropy, charity work,
collecting antique cars, travelling

Signature Pat Tiggrett Date Oct 10, 2011

PAT KERR TIGRETT

Marital Status: Widow of John Burton Tigrett (1999)
Children: One Son, Harrison Kerr Tigrett
One stepson, Isaac Tigrett (Founder: The Hard Rock Café and The House of Blues)

A philanthropist and volunteer who resides in Memphis. Lived in London, England almost 20 years.

Internationally known fashion designer and collector of antique lace and royal memorabilia.

AWARDS RECEIVED:

2006 *Memphis Magazine* Who's Who Hall of Fame
2006 *Philanthropy World* Hall of Fame • Dallas
2004 Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis "Image & Style" Award
2001 "Downtownner of the Decade" honoree
2000-1997 Parent's Committee – University of Virginia
2005-1985 Who's Who in Memphis, *Memphis Magazine*
1999 The King's Award, Carnival Memphis
1998 30th Anniversary of Martin Luther King's Death – First Recipient of the
"Spirit of Memphis" award started by Mayor W. W. Herenton commemorating
Martin Luther King
1998 50th Anniversary of WMC-TV-One of 50 who "Made a Difference" (among
others. . .Danny Thomas, Martin Luther King)
1992 The Society of Entrepreneurs Hall of Honor, Memphis Museums, Inc.
1990 Humanitarian Award, National Jewish Center for Immunology and Respiratory
Medicine
1990 "The Big Dig" Award Center City Commission
1990 Don Drinkard Civic Recognition Award, Liberty Bowl
1989 "Marketer of the Year" Iris Award Bridal Industry, New York
1989 "Thousand Points of Light" recipient, honored by President George Bush
1988 Distinguished Alumni Award, University of Memphis
1987 Award for Excellence in the Fashion Industry, Palm Beach, Florida
1987 Jack Carley Award, Civitan Club
1986 Great Designer Award, American Cancer Society-Worth Avenue Association,
Palm Beach, Florida
1986 Memphian of the Year, *Memphis Magazine*
1986 Woman of the Year, Business and Professional Women's Association
1986 Tennessee Homecoming State Honoree, Savannah, Tennessee
1985 Big Brothers/Big Sisters Honoree of the Year
1983 Marketer of the Year
Former Miss Memphis
Former Miss Tennessee

BOARD MEMBER (FORMER OR PRESENT) OF:

Stanford St. Jude Championship Golf Tournament Board
St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Board of Directors
ALSAC Board of Directors

University of Memphis Board of Visitors
Memphis and Shelby County Music Commission
Riverfront Development Corporation
Dixon Gallery and Gardens – Life Member – The Circle
Smithsonian Rock 'n' Soul Museum
Leadership Memphis
Memphis Orchestral Society
Memphis Development Foundation
Memphis in May
Center for Southern Folklore
Women's Committee for Memphis Symphony Ball – Founder
Memphis Downs
The Crescent Club – Founding Board of Governors
Chickasaw Council Executive Board
Athena Society
W. C. Handy Theatre
International Children's Heart Foundation
The Blues Foundation
The Rufus Thomas Scholarship Fund
Isaac Hayes Foundation

ADVISORY BOARD/STEERING COMMITTEE/CONSULTANT:

University of Memphis Athletic Advisory Committee
Memphis Film Forum
Variety Children's Charities Advisory Board
Hunt Phelan House Opening – 1996
Isaac Hayes Day Committee – 1995
Memphis and Shelby County Bicentennial Commission – 1995
Memphis Leadership Council – 1994
Memphis College of Art
St. Jude Children's Hospital Gala
Marguerite Piazza Gala/St. Jude
Big Brothers and Big Sister
Youth Services
Memphis Planned Parenthood
Boy Scouts of America
City Beautiful
Porter-Leath Children's Center
American Cancer Society
The Great River Carnival
St. Jude Professional Advisory Board
Memphis AAA Baseball Advisory Board
Memphis Redbirds

MEMBER OF:

Council of Fashion Designers of America – New York
Brooks Museum • MEMPHIS
NARAS (National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences • Los Angeles/Memphis)

Symphony League • Memphis
Professional Models Association
The Fashion Group, New York
The Fashion Guild, New York
University of Memphis Alumni Association
Opera Guild
APTA – Association for the Preservation of Tennessee Antiquities
PDS Mother's Club
Memphis Country Club
Racquet Club
Memphis Heritage Association
Calvary Episcopal Church
Memphis Museums, Inc. – Patron
Annabel's, London
Marks Club, London
Drones, London
Les Ambassadeurs, London
Aspinall's Club, London
St. James Club, London
Tennessee Women's Forum
St. Agnes – St. Dominic School Fine Arts Committee
International Women's Forum

CHAIRMAN OF:

Grand Opening • FedEx Forum • Smithsonian Rock 'n Soul Museum
“The Big Dig” Groundbreaking Celebration for The Pyramid • Chairman
“Bridge of Lights” Lighting of the Hernando DeSoto Bridge • Chairman
The Blues Ball (Founder and General Chairman), 2004-1994
The Nutcracker Ball (Founder and General Chairman), December 1993, 1992, 1991
The Jingle Bell Ball (Founder and General Chairman), 2004-1988
Dole for President “Memphis” Fundraiser
Northwest/KLM Inaugural Flight Festivities, Memphis/Amsterdam
Governor Sundquist Inaugural Celebration
Memphis in May Casbah Gala
Dixie Carter/ “Streetcar Named Desire” Gala
Brooks Art Gallery Russian Icon Opening for Christian Brothers University
Etruscan Collection/Pink Palace Opening Gala
National Civil Rights Museum Opening
Presbyterian Day School 40th Anniversary
Memphis Symphony Ball

HONORARY CHAIRMAN OF:

Volunteer Center Sunset Party
Duration Club “Essence Ball”
Madonna Circle Antique Show
Order of the Pyramid Golf Tournament
Pi Kappa Alpha Olympic Day

EDUCATION:

Attended University of Tennessee
Memphis Academy of Arts
University of Memphis, Received BFA Degree

CHARITY FASHION SHOWS FOR:

New York Junior League
Museum of the City of New York
American Cancer Society, New York
American Heart Association, New York
Arkansas Fine Arts Club
Mississippi Symphony 50th Anniversary
Volunteers of America, New Orleans

The Visual Arts Coalition of Dallas
The Orpheum Theatre, Memphis
Opera Memphis, Memphis
Symphony League, Memphis
Northwood Institute, Houston
Junior League, Birmingham
Ballet Austin, Austin, Texas

HER DESIGNS HAVE BEEN FEATURED IN/ON:

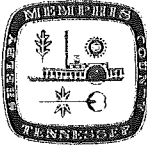
Good Morning America
The Today Show
PM Magazine
The Oprah Winfrey Show
The Elsa Klensch Show, CNN
Avenue
Connoisseur
"W"
Hour Magazine
Estee Lauder "Beautiful" Perfume Ad
Palm Beach Life
Palm Beach Shiny Sheet
Palm Beach Daily News
Martha Stewart magazine
A Plaza Wedding (cover)

The Regis Philbin Show
Town and Country
Bride's
Modern Bride
Ultra
Vanity Fair
Women's Wear Daily
CNN
The New York Times and other
major publications
Tiffany Bridal (New York)
Palm Beach Social Register
Martha Stewart "*Weddings*" (cover)
Weddings: Southern Style (cover)

She has been associated with major bridal shows all over America including world Class Weddings with Dupont; Cartier; Waldorf Astoria; Ritz Carlton as well as with Wedgewood, Gorham, Tiffany's and Waterford Crystal.

PAT KERR's Private Antique Lace and Private Royal Collection includes four Princess Diana gowns, 100 items from the Sotheby's sale of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor's collection. . .with emphasis on their wedding, and over a thousand other items. Items from this collection have been included in exhibitions at museums including The Metropolitan Museum of Art.

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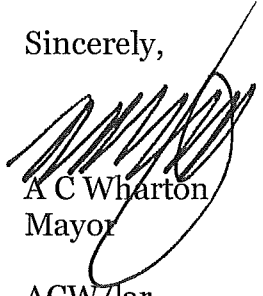
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Blanchard E. Tual

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,


A C Wharton
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Memph Shelby County Edm Tual
BOARD/COMMISSION *Televis Comm*

Name: Blanchard E Tual Race White M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: btual@tvalgraves.com Fax 901-474-1223

Profession/Employer: Tual Graves PLLC

Business Address: 1000 Brookfield Rd Zip 38119 Phone: 901-474-1230

Education: State 120
University of Florida, BA 1967
" " " " JD 1970

Name of Spouse: Louise University of Memphis MA 1981 Number of Children: 0

Home Address: 73 Cherokee Phone: 901-323-8192

City: Memph State: TN Zip: 3814

I certify that I am a resident of the City of Memphis (Unincorporated areas and surrounding counties are not considered). Yes ☒ or No ☐ If yes, how long? all my life

Professional Organization/Associations:

Memph Bar Assn Natl Child Chldren Bureau

Other Organizations/Association:

Int Bar MIFA
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Other Interests:

Signature

[Signature]

Date

10/05/11

BLANCHARD EVERETT TUAL

1000 Brookfield Road, Suite 120, Memphis, Tennessee 38119, (901) 424-1230

PERSONAL

Spouse: Louise Chamberlain Tual
Children: Selden Chamberlain Tual (DOB: 12/28/83)
Elizabeth Blanchard Tual (DOB: 10/29/85)
Residence: 73 Cherokee
Memphis, Tennessee 38111
(901) 323-8192

EDUCATION

University of Florida
B.A. (Political Science) 1967

University of Tennessee
J.D. (Law) 1970

Memphis State University
M.A. (History) 1981

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Memphis Bar Association
Tennessee Bar Association
American Bar Association
Tennessee Bar Foundation
Lawyer's Journal Club
American College of Trust and Estate Counsel (ACTEC)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Memphis Bar Association
President (1994)
President of the Young Lawyers Division (1977)

Tennessee Bar Association
Vice President, West Tennessee Division
Chairman - Sports/Entertainment Section (1982)

American Bar Association
Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section

Lecturer

Estate Planning
Death and Dying
Probate Procedures/Law (1972-1983)

Phi Delta Phi

President, Legal Fraternity (1970)

Memphis State University

Professor of Business Law, Department of Business
(CPS - Continuing Education Program) (1972-1983)

Member of the National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences

CIVIC ACTIVITIES

Memphis and Shelby County Film, Tape and Music Commission
Past-Chairman/Treasurer (1985-1995)

University of Memphis Alumni Association
President (1994)

Barksdale Boys Club
Director/Past President (1972-1982)

Samuelson Boys Club
President (1982)

Central Boys Club of Memphis
Director/Treasurer

Memphis Kiwanis Club
Director (1986)

American Cancer Society
Director and Lecturer (1972-1977; 1985-1989)

Memphis Boys Town
Director (1982-1986)

Episcopal Counseling Center
Director (1982-1986)

Porter Leath Home for Children

Director (1998-2002)

Chairman (2002-2003)

Memphis Brooks Museum of Art

Director (1999-2009)

Annual Fund Raising Drive for LeMoyne Owen College

Committee Member (1972-1979)

Memphis Pituitary Foundation

Director (1978-1979)

Grace-St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Memphis, Tennessee

Vestry

Chairman, School Endowment Fund Committee

Grace-St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Memphis, Tennessee

Board of Trustees (1997-2000)

Friends of the Levitt Pavilion, Memphis, Tennessee (Overton Park Shell)

Board of Directors, Memphis Interfaith Association (MIFA)

AWARDS

Memphis Jaycees Outstanding Young Man of the Year

Sam P. Mayr, Jr. Memorial Award as Outstanding Young Lawyer

Omicron Delta Kappa, Men's Honorary Leadership Fraternity

Athletic Hall of Fame, University of Florida

Association of Women Attorneys Outstanding Achievement Award - 1995

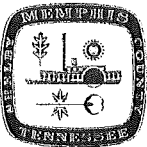
Life Member National Registry of Who's Who

Super Lawyers 2009, 2010

Memphis Bar Association - Lawyer's Lawyer Award 2009

Best Lawyer in America - 2012

City of Memphis



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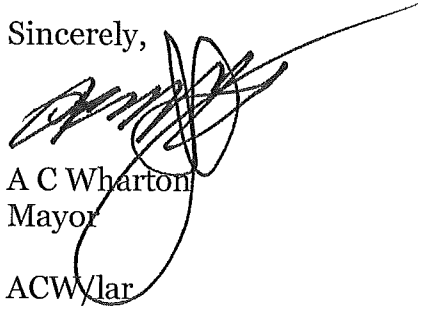
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

Ruby Wilson

be reappointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Film and Television Commission
with a term expiring September 30, 2013.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,


A C Wharton
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Film and Television Commission
BOARD/COMMISSION

Ms.

Name: Ruby Wilson

Race

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E-Mail Address: n/a

Fax

n/a

Profession/Employer: Entertainer/Seff

Business Address: PO Box 11822 Zip: 38111 Phone: 644-3033

Education: General H.S., 3 years college (Texas)

Name of Spouse: Single

Number of Children:

4

Home Address: Same

Phone:

Same

City: Same

State:

Same

Zip:

Same

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If yes, how long? 40 years

Professional Organization/Associations: Memphis/Shelby County Film + Television Commission & NARAS

Other Organizations/Association: American Heart Assoc., American Stroke Assoc., Memphis Walk of Fame, The

Other Interests:

DeHas, Disabled Elderly/Senior Citizens

"Anything that makes money that is legal"

Signature Ms. Ruby Wilson

Date

10/11/11

Ruby Wilson

She is the undisputed Queen of Beale Street, a Memphis legend who has taken the Delta blues and her powerful, emotional, unforgettable voice worldwide. When she's in Memphis, she often holds at B.B. King's, the epicenter of nightclub entertainment in the Mid-South. When she's out of town, she might be singing at the White House, or at a renowned jazz club in Switzerland, or on a luxury cruise in Asia.

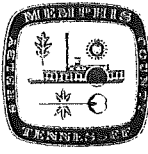
She's Ruby Wilson, one of the most dynamic and soulful entertainers you will ever see -- and one of the most versatile, too. From a high-energy party song like "Mustang Sally" to a tender ballad like "At Last" to a sexy romp like "Fever," the lady can sing it all: soul, blues, pop, Dixieland jazz, gospel -- you name it. With a first-rate band and the charisma that has charmed thousands around the world, Ruby Wilson turns mere parties into EVENTS.

Ruby has recorded over 10 albums and performed with such stars as B.B. King, Ray Charles, Robert Goulet, The Four Tops, Jerry Butler, Willie Nelson, Isaac Hayes, and many more. She's also an accomplished actress, with roles in Black Snake Moan, Cookie's Fortune, The People vs. Larry Flynt, The Chamber, The Client, and The Firm. Her 2005 album, "Show You a Good Time," received national acclaim and soared up the blues charts. Some of Ruby's recent awards and honors include:

- **inducted into the inaugural class of the African-American Hall of Fame in Memphis, 2010**
- **featured performer at the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival 2008**
- **the Memphis Sound Award from the Blues Ball for Best Entertainer 2005-06**
- **a Supporter's Award from St. Jude Children's Research Hospital**
- **the Authentic Beale Street Musician Award from the Beale Street Merchant's Association**
- **pace car driver for the Komen Race for the Cure in Memphis, 2005**
- **member of the Memphis-Shelby County Film & Tape Commission**

Her versatile show can include a dynamic, showy R&B band with multiple horns and back-up singers, a Dixieland band for traditional New Orleans music, or a simple trio for jazz and blues standards. She can also work as a solo artist.

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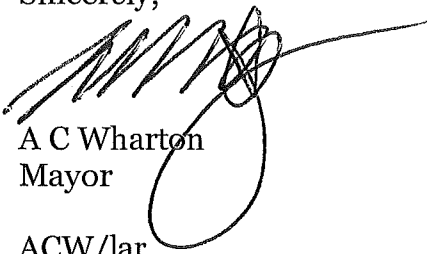
Subject to Council approval, it is my recommendation that:

James J. Keras, Jr.

be appointed to the Memphis and Shelby County Airport Authority with a term
expiring December 31, 2018.

I have attached biographical information.

Sincerely,



A C Wharton
Mayor

ACW/lar

c: Council Members



City of Memphis

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION APPOINTMENT TO BOARD/COMMISSION

Memphis Shelby Cty Airport Authority

BOARD/COMMISSION

Name: James Joseph Keras Jr Race Caucasian M ☒ F ☐

E-Mail Address: jjk@jimkeras.com Fax 901-380-0283

Profession/Employer: Jim Keras Automotive Group

2080 Covington Pike
Business Address: Memphis, TN Zip 38128 Phone: 901-373-2700

Education: B.S. Business Administration - University of Tennessee-Knoxville

Name of Spouse: Penny Reed Keras Number of Children: 3

Home Address: 150 S. Goodlett Phone: 901-767-6419

City: Memphis State: TN Zip: 38117

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Professional Organization/Associations:

Economic Club of Memphis, Development Board - Church Health Center,
Board Commissioner- Memphis Shelby County Airport Authority

Other Organizations/Association:

Past member of several Civic Boards in Memphis area

Other Interests:

Aviation - Commercial Pilot

Golf

Being involved with inter-city children through reading programs

Small Group Bible study

Signature James J. Keras Jr. Date 11/03/11

James J Keras Jr.

150 S. Goodlett
Memphis, TN 38117
901-373-2700
jjk@jimkeras.com

EXPERIENCE

- JIM KERAS BUICK SUBARU, JIM KERAS CHEVROLET-MEMPHIS** Memphis, TN
1978 - Present *Owner/Operator*
- Buick's prestigious "Best in Class" winner 5 years in a row
 - 2005 Recipient of Buick's "Select Dealer Award"
 - GM Mark of Excellence in 2005.
 - Top volume Buick dealer in zone for several years.
 - Buick franchise sold to General Motors in March of 2006.
- JIM KERAS NISSAN** Memphis, TN
1983 - Present *Owner/Operator*
- Number 1 retail Nissan dealer in Memphis for many years
 - In 1993, 26th in the US for retail sales
 - 1997 Recipient of Nissans' prestigious "Presidents Circle Award"
- JIM KERAS CHEVROLET** Millington, TN
2006 - 11/08 *Owner*
- Store purchased in April of 2006 and has qualified for GM Standards for Excellence every quarter since.
 - More new Chevrolets sold in 2007 than any year since 2003 in current location.
- COVINGTON PIKE ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION** Memphis, TN
1997 - Present *Owner*
- Finance company for used automobile loans
- MEMPHIS SHELBY COUNTY AIRPORT AUTHORITY** Memphis, TN
2007 - 2014 *Commissioner*
- Actively serves on the Board which is responsible for all operations, procedures, and budgets of the Memphis Airport.

EDUCATION

- GENERAL MOTORS INSTITUTE** Flint, MI
Dealer/Operator Academy Graduate
- UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE** Knoxville, TN
Bachelor of Business Administration, 1966
Major: Business

ACHIEVMENTS

- Past President – Greater Memphis Auto Dealer Association
- Past President- 100 Club of Memphis
- Past Board Member – Tennessee Automobile Dealers Association
- President's Council Member, Rhodes College
- Board Member – Memphis Better Business Bureau
- Past Board Member – Mid-South Minority Business Council

MEMPHIS & SHELBY COUNTY AIRPORT AUTHORITY

7 Member Board

(5) City & (2) County Nominations

Oath of Office Required

7 Year Term

City

Hilliard, Herbert	M/B	12-31-14	7yr. Term
Keras Jr., James	M/W	12-31-11	7yr. Term
Perl, Arnold	M/W	12-31-17	7yr. Term
Stokes, John W.	M/W	12-31-15	7yr. Term
Wharton, Ruby	F/B	12-31-12	7yr. Term

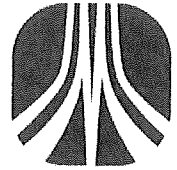
County

Sammons, Jack	M/W	12-31-16	7yr. Term
Thompson, Jon K.	M/W	12-31-13	7yr. Term

Kemp Conrad (City Council Liaison)

MEMPHIS-SHELBY COUNTY AIRPORT AUTHORITY

OFFICE: MEMPHIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
2491 WINCHESTER RD., SUITE 113
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE 38116-3856
OFFICE: 901-922-8000 / FAX 901-922-8099
INTERNET WEB PAGE ADDRESS <http://www.mscaa.com>



Attendance Records

Memphis and Shelby County Airport Authority Board of Commissioners

2010 Total Number of Meetings (12)

City Appointee	Present	Absent
James Keras	12	

2011 Total Number of Meetings (10)

City Appointee	Present	Absent
James Keras	10	

***Chairperson**

As of November 1, 2011

Shawnita Neely
Executive Assistant to the President
Memphis-Shelby County Airport Authority